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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant for Plans and Development, NPIC

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ATTENTION

SUBJECT

: Evaluation of Zoom Tube Magnifiers

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1. The Photographic Analysis Group has completed the evaluation of two tube magnifiers. These are the 6.4X to 18X and 7.5X to 18X magnifiers manufactured by The consensus of the Photographic Analysis Group is that these are of no interest. The main objections to their use is distortion in the field of view and the out-of-focus condition present when the magnification was changed (focus is not continuous throughout the zoom range). The magnifiers were large and heavy which also detracted from their value.

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2. The Photographic Analysis Group would not be interested in purchasing either of these items.

Assistant for Photographic Analysis, NPIC

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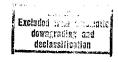
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